

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A furniture glide for mounting on the terminal end of a furniture leg having an outer surface, comprising:

a base having a generally arcuate lower surface for engaging a supporting surface; and
a sleeve extending from the base along an axis and having an inner surface defining a cavity for receiving the furniture leg, and terminating at an upper edge;

a plurality of resilient projections extending radially inward from the upper edge of the sleeve ~~so as to define an upper limit of the cavity defined by the sleeve, the plurality of resilient projections~~ [for]:

engaging the outer surface of the furniture leg; [and]

retaining the furniture leg in the cavity; ~~and~~ [, the plurality of resilient projections]
spacing the furniture leg from the inner surface of the sleeve so as to allow the furniture leg to be supported within the cavity at an acute angle to the axis.

2. (Currently Amended) The furniture glide of claim 1 [wherein the] ~~further comprising an adjustable portion of the sleeve, the adjustable portion including~~ [includes] a plurality of flexible depressions extending into the cavity, the depressions defining corresponding inner surfaces for engagement with the furniture leg.

Claims 3-4 (Cancelled).

5. (Original) The furniture glide of claim 1 wherein the base includes:
backing layer having an inner surface directed towards the cavity of the sleeve and an outer surface; and
a felt pad affixed to the outer surface of the backing layer.

6. (Previously Amended) The furniture glide of claim 1 wherein the sleeve is

generally tubular and includes a lower edge, the sleeve defined by the inner surface and an outer surface.

7. (Original) The furniture glide of claim 6 where base includes an outer periphery, the outer periphery of the base being affixed to the inner surface of the sleeve at a location adjacent the lower edge.

8. (Original) A furniture glide of claim 6 where base includes an outer periphery, the outer periphery of the base being affixed to the outer surface of the sleeve at a location adjacent the lower edge.

Claims 9-11 (Cancelled).

12. (Currently Amended) A furniture glide for mounting on a terminal end of a furniture leg having an outer surface, comprising:

a base having a generally arcuate lower surface for engaging a supporting surface and an arcuate inner surface for engagement with the terminal end of the furniture leg; and

a sleeve extending along an axis from the base and having and upper edge and an inner surface defining a cavity for receiving the furniture leg, the sleeve including a leg engagement element having a plurality of flexible projections:

projecting from the upper edge of the sleeve;

lying in common plane with the upper edge of the sleeve; and

extending into the cavity;[,]

wherein the projections are engageable with [engaging] the furniture leg received in the cavity and space [spacing] the furniture leg from the inner surface of the sleeve so as to allow the furniture leg to be supported within the cavity of the sleeve at an acute angle to the axis.

Claim 13 (Cancelled).

14. (Previously Amended) The furniture glide of claim 12 wherein the sleeve terminates at an upper edge and wherein the projections intersect the upper edge of the sleeve.

Claim 15 (Cancelled).

16. (Original) The furniture glide of claim 12 wherein the base includes:
backing layer having an inner surface directed towards the cavity of the sleeve and an outer surface; and
a felt pad affixed to the outer surface of the backing layer.

17. (Original) The furniture glide of claim 12 wherein the sleeve is generally tubular and includes an upper edge and a lower edge and wherein the base includes an outer periphery, the outer periphery of the base being affixed to the inner surface of the sleeve at a location adjacent the lower edge.

Claim 18 (Cancelled).

19. (Currently Amended) A furniture glide for mounting on a terminal end of a furniture leg having an outer surface, comprising:
a slider having a lower surface for engaging a supporting surface and an inner surface for engagement with the terminal end of the furniture leg; and
a leg connection member interconnected to the slider for retaining the furniture glide on the furniture leg, the leg connection member including:
a generally tubular sleeve extending along an axis and ~~terminating at an upper edge, the tubular sleeve having an inner surface defining a cavity;~~ and [having]
a plurality of flexible projections projecting from ~~the upper edge of the sleeve so as to overlap and at least partially close an upper end of the cavity;~~ [an inner surface

thereof,] ~~such that the projections engage and are urged into the cavity by~~ [engaging] the furniture leg received in the cavity [and] ~~such that the furniture leg is spaced by the projections~~ [spacing the furniture leg] from the inner surface of the sleeve so as to allow the furniture leg to be supported within the cavity of the sleeve at an acute angle to the axis.

21. (Original) The furniture glide of claim 20 wherein the sleeve terminates at an upper edge and wherein the projections intersect the upper edge of the sleeve.

22. (Original) The furniture glide of claim 19 wherein the slider includes:
a backing layer having an inner surface for engagement with the furniture leg and an outer surface; and
a pad affixed to the outer surface of the backing layer.

23. (Original) The furniture glide of claim 12 wherein the leg connection member is generally tubular and includes an upper edge and a lower edge and wherein the slider includes an outer periphery, the outer periphery of the slider being affixed to an inner surface of the leg connection member at a location adjacent the lower edge.

Claim 24 (Cancelled).